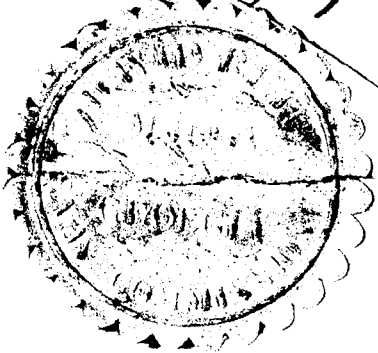


State of Georgia } ss. Before me David Reid a
County of Bibb Commissioner of the State of
City of Macon Texas for taking the acknow-
ledgement of Deeds, &c in the State of Georgia
duly Commissioned and sworn; personally
came and appeared ^{independent of Bibb County in the State of Georgia} Andrew J. Wilson, to me
personally known, who acknowledged, that he
had executed the foregoing power of Attorney
to Francis J. Martin the person therein named
for the purpose therein expressed and the said
Andrew J. Wilson being by me duly sworn, did
declare and say, that the statements set forth
in said power of attorney and declaration, are
true in substance and effect, to the best of his
knowledge, and I Certify that said Andrew J.
Wilson is respectable and entitled to credit.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto signed
my name, and affixed my official seal this
second day of August A.D. 1858.



David Reid
Commissioner of the State of
Texas for taking the acknowledgement
of Deeds, &c, in the State of
Georgia, " "

STATE OF *Georgia*

COUNTY OF *Bibb*

On this *second* day of

August A.D. 1858, before

me, the subscriber *David Reid Commissioner for State of Texas*, within and for said
County and State, duly authorised by law to administer oaths, acknowledge deeds, powers of attorney, or
contracts, personally came *Lorenzo D. Wright and Berry*
Rodgers

whom I know to be resident of the County of *Bibb* and State of *Georgia*
and persons whom I know to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn according to law,
declare that they were acquainted with *Joseph Lapshy Wilson* late of the
Texas Army, that they knew him as *single* man, and that they were and are acquainted with the
relations by the ties of blood of said *Joseph Lapshy Wilson* late of the
Texas Army, and that *Andrew J. Wilson* is the son and sole heir of *Joseph*

Wilson deceased of the county of *Burke* and State of *Alabama* who was the
Father and sole heir of his son *Joseph Lapshy Wilson* late of the *Texas Army*,
was and is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the only living heir of the aforesaid *Joseph Wilson Father*

of *Joseph Lapshy Wilson* late of the *Texas Army*, and that the said *Andrew*
Wilson

who has signed and sealed a power
of attorney with power of substitution for the purposes therein contained is the only legitimate or legal
heir so far as they have any knowledge or belief of said *Joseph Wilson Father* of *Joseph Lapshy*
late of the *Texas Army*, and they furthermore depose and state, that the said *Andrew J. Wilson*
son and sole living heir at law of *Joseph Wilson* who was
the Father and sole heir at law of *Joseph Lapshy Wilson* deceased
late of the *Texas Army*

now living in the County of *Bibb*
and State of *Georgia* and that they, the undersigned, are not interested in the
statement made above, and have no interest in connection with said party in making this statement of facts.

Signed, sealed, delivered and acknowledged, the day and year first
above written, in the presence of

David Reid
Texas Commissioner
Macon Georgia

Lorenzo D. Wright

L.S.

Berry Rodgers

L.S.